

112 Findlay Street, House
(Christ Child Day Nursery Building)
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Cincinnati
Hamilton County
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STATE OHIO	COUNTY HAMILTON	TOWN OR VICINITY CINCINNATI
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) CHRIST CHILD DAY NURSERY BUILDING 112 Findlay Street, House		HABS NO. OH-2267
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Christ Child Day Nursery Building		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 112 FINDLAY STREET		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) ca. 1878	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) unknown	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) The Christ-Child Day Nursery Building is a contributing element in the Over-the-Rhine Historic District. It is significant as a good example of the Italianate style popular in Cincinnati in the 1860's and 70's. Original use - Residential		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Italianate		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick bearing wall		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) 2 1/2 story main block, and narrower rear wing Approximately 30' X 100' (main block plus original addition)		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Bracketed cornice with segmental arched frieze windows, lintels, door surround and basement windows. Intact, paneled recessed entrance way with original Italianate double-leaf door. Original cast and wrought iron fencing.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Wooden pocket doors connecting first floor rooms, wooden staircase and railing, three fireplaces. Floor plan - Main front block divided into 2 rooms with side stair. Rear wing with modern wall partitions and back stair.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES 2-story brick addition - 20th. century		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Good - Day care center (non-profit, community chest supported)		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE Proposed work will be exterior only and will not alter any significant architectural details (interior or exterior)		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) National Register listing in May, 1983		
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